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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos.

Part B for

SUBJECT

Lands for military
N.C
near Hamirpur.

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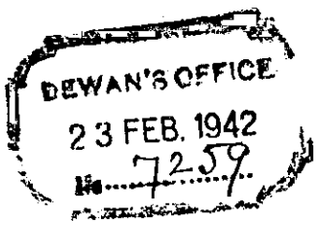
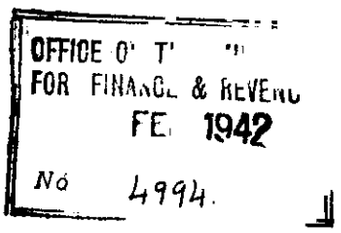
A. P. MALLAPPA, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Deputy Commissioner.

D. O. C.87/41-42
Encl: One.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.
(Camp.) Molakalmuru,
Dated Chitaldrug, 19th Feb. 1942.





Dear Sir,

I write to state for the information of Government that the Military Officers (~~Messrs.~~ Major Latham and Ottley) of Madras District are reported to have arrived at Harihar from Bangalore on the 17th February 1942 and inspected the - land round about the Cemetry near Guttur village (Harihar Taluk on the Harihar-Harapanahalli road (between 1st mile 2nd furlong- and 2nd mile 3rd furlong). The area inspected by them is - reported to be about 882 acres of Haralapur and Guttur billages. It is gathered that this is done with a view to locate a train- ing camp there. A copy of the report of the Amildar of - Harihar Taluk is enclosed.

Yours sincerely,

To

Gulam Mohiyuddin Mehkri, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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D.O.No.33/41-2 dated the 17th February 1942 from the Amildar-Harihar Taluk to the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug District.

In continuation of my D.O.No.32/41-42 dated 16th instant, I beg to report that the Military staff officers arrived here - this morning from Bangalore and visited the plot of land around the cemetry near Guttur village on the Harihar-Harapanahalli road (between 1st Mile 2nd furlong and 2nd mile 3rd furlong). I was present and furnished them all information. The area - inspected by them covers a total extent of about 832 acres (as per statement enclosed) of Haralapur and Guttur villages. The two villages proper are thereby surrounded by this plot with sufficient space left for passage towards Harihar. They are leaving for Bangalore by Mail.

" C O P Y "

Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District.

D.O.No.34/41-42 dated the 17th February 1942 from the Amildar-Harihar Taluk, to the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug District.

In continuation of my D.O.Letter No.33/41-42 dated the - 17th instant, I beg to submit that it was ascertained from the - Military staff officers that they propose to station at Harihar a Battalion of about 10,000 to 12,000 men which would probably be increased later on, in addition to a transport corps of 3000 lorries. It is stated that it will be a purely Indian contingent. They have also planned to give them training here, for which they propose to arrange for a Rifle Range of about 600 yards near Bathi hills.

The staff officers further stated that they are placing the proposals before the Chief of Staff and on final decision and selection of the Camp sites, they would immediately commence work. They are going to pitch up tents for the troops, with quarters for stores etc., and an Hospital. Their petrol requirements were - stated to be about 200 gallons per day. When the work commences probably in about a month or two, they would be bringing in labours of about 1000 strong from outside. The whole project is stated to cost them about 50 lakhs. They are arranging for a Milk Dairy of their own.

This information was given in a confidential talk and they stated that it is subject to variations in the light of final - planning.

"C O P Y"

Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District.

Submitted to His Highness.

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I submit herewith for His Highness's information copy of a letter of February 25th from the Residency stating that it has been decided, subject to the approval of the Mysore Government, to establish at Harihar two Groups of General Purposes Transport Companies comprising between 10,000 and 12,000 troops and asking for our assistance in hiring the lands required to the Military authorities on the usual terms of annual rent and non-recurring compensation. The question is being considered in consultation with the Deputy Commissioner and other officers concerned.

N. Madhava Rau

Mysore,
26th February 1942.

D E W A N .

SECRET.
VERY URGENT.
NO.RF.71-40/Pol.

From

The Secretary to the Hon'ble
the Resident in Mysore.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

Dated, Bangalore, the 25th February 1942.

Hiring of land at Harihar.

Sir,

I am directed to state that subject to the approval of the Government of Mysore, General Headquarters have decided to establish two Groups of General Purposes Transport Companies at Harihar - between 10,000 and 12,000 troops in all. The ground selected for the purpose (plot D in the accompanying sketch map) is said to be all dry soil (red gravel). A blue print showing survey numbers taken from the Amildar's records is enclosed. In addition to plot D a small area to the East, measuring about 12 acres, is also required for a range firing into the hills to the East with firing rights over a danger area of about 600 acres.

2. The Military authorities point out that local prices of essentials are not likely to be affected by the presence of these troops as the only purchases will be firewood, which has to be imported, and possibly potatoes.

3. It is understood that throughout the preliminary reconnaissances etc., the Military authorities have consulted the representatives of the Government of Mysore, viz., Mr. Krishnachar, Civil Officer, the Superintendent of Electricity and Water Supplies and the Chief Sanitary Engineer. The matter was also discussed between the Hon'ble the Resident, the Dewan and A.A. & Q.M.G. on the 24th February 1942.

4. At the outset the proposed accommodation will be tented, with ancillary accommodation - cookhouses, offices, hospital, latrines, etc., of hutted construction. Any additional pumps or pipes required will be provided by the M.E.S. In addition, all main roads up to the limits required for training by M.T. will be brought up to a standard sufficient to stand heavy traffic and surfaces at the expense of the Defence Department.

5. In this connection I am to point out that in May 1941 the Military authorities suggested Harihar as a possible site for a Prisoners of War Camp and that the matter was discussed by them informally with the First Member of Council - vide his demi-official letter No.260, dated the 1st June 1941.

6. The Hon'ble the Resident would be grateful if the Government of Mysore would kindly agree to hire the lands to the Military authorities on the usual terms of annual rent and non-recurring compensation and also permit them to proceed with the preliminary work - installation of water and electrical services, etc. - pending final settlement.

7. The favour of a very early reply is requested.

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) A.E.H. Macann.

Secretary to the Resident.

"COPY"

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

Residency letter regarding the proposal to establish at Harihar two Groups of General Purposes Transport Companies comprising between 10,000 and 12,000 troops.

Order.

28-1-'42.

No. 684

General and Revenue

Secretariat.

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SUBJECT :—

Residency letter regarding the proposal to establish at Hanihara two groups of general purpose Transport companies comprising between 10,000 and 12,000 troops.

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31. All urgent or confidential files returned with His Highness' orders may, in the absence of instructions or indications to the contrary, be ordinarily circulated to the Ministers for perusal after the issue of orders.

33. The Secretaries concerned should see that orders in the cases referred to above are issued at once and that the files are returned immediately after, to the Chief Secretary for circulation to the Ministers.

34. In all other cases, the files will first be circulated to the Ministers at Headquarters and then sent to the Secretariat concerned for the issue of orders.

Circulated to Council of Ministers for perusal of His Highness' orders before/after issue of orders. (*Vide* Rules 31, 33 and 34 of the Subsidiary Rules for the conduct of business of Council in the Manual of Council Rules and Procedure.) (*)

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Chief Secretary to Government.

Through the Secretary to Government,

.....Department.

Minister for Finance and Revenue. 5/3

Minister for Law. 5.3.42

Minister for Education. 5.3.42

Minister for Local Self-Govt. and Public Health. 5.3.42

~~C.S.~~ L.A. 6/3

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R. P. MALLAPPA, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Deputy Commissioner.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

D. O. C.C.87/41-42
Encl: One.

(Camp) Hiriyur, 20th Feb. 1942.

Dear Sir,

Subject: Military Camp Site at Harihar.

In continuation of my D.O.Letter No.C.C.87/41-42 dated the 19th instant from Camp.Molakalmuru, I enclose herein for the information of Government a copy of a report dated the 17th instant received from the Amildar, Harihar Taluk furnishing further details.

Yours sincerely,

To

Gulam Mohiyuddin Mehkri, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

1) Subs for perusal
2) Secy 21/2
3) Has he had any special reference in this matter?
4) Recd
5) Perused
6) Recd. No Official reference

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has so far been received. The last communication received from the Residency in the matter was in June last.

Ld 7-4-42

c) This has since been received from the Residency together with the papers noted in the margin.

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d) Papers under c above.

e) The D.C.'s other officers may be empowered accordingly. Copy to be posted to H.H. & the Ministers for perusal in the Prize Allowance file.

f) Draft to D.C. Chittagong enclosed for approval

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g) Issued

27/4

No 2969/C&S. dt 27-2-42 from R.P. Mallaffa Esq

Regrets his inability to furnish his views on the proposal to hire his lands to the military authorities on certain terms in connection with the establishment of the proposed General Purposes transport Companies at Haricha

NOTE—Cont. Sheet.

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Hiring of lands near Haridwar by the military authorities 2692/CB

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and to furnish full details as regards the S. Nos & extents of lands affected, the reasonable amount of annual rent that might be demanded by the authorities in respect of the lands etc.

(2) Send for remarks

1) Minister for Finance & Revenue) JKL 28/2 — 5209 28.2.42

2) .. .. Land) 28/2

3) .. .. Education) JKL 1.3.42

4) .. - L.S.G. & P.H. (Health) 3.3.62

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION Date 3-3-42 No. 4726

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR L.S.G. & P.H. Date 3.3.42 No. 5236

(4) Send No. 1 5/3

10) Send with a Draft D.O. reminder. 5/3

D.O. 5658 dt 5-3-62. To D.C. Chittoor

11) Requests him to expedite the reply in the matter. The D.C. Chittoor has not yet furnished the particulars called for in this office letter dt 27-2-62. He has also been reminded of this on the S.R. visit. Subsequent ones orders. As to whether any further time may be given for furnishing the required details

12) The D.C. may be reminded by telegram 7/3

23) Closing D.O.

24) Issue with the reminder. 7/3

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25) Resubmitted as per orders of the Chief Engg explanation called for

9/3 Jnl. 26) Chief Engr 9/3

27) Please send me a wire 9/3 J

Letter no CE. 87/41-42 dt 9.2.42 from the Defence Commr, Chitradurg Dist furnishing the required information.

Subr. --- The S.D.O. Davangere has reported that the land selected is roughly 1232 acres 26 guntas, of which an extent of 43 acres 9 guntas forms the plot thereof, besides the ground selected for firing practice. The land in question belongs to six villages and the entire extent is reported to be arable lands in the occupancy of tenants.

28) In the circumstances explained, the Dy. C. has proposed that the lands may be leased out to the Military Deptt at an annual rent of Rs 16/- per acre which he says is quite reasonable. This includes the annual land revenue assessment due to Govt and the compensation payable to the tenant. Needful may be done.

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at Hariharpur 4528

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Note with reference to para above.

9/3 JAM

From the D.C's report it appears that there is no difficulty in making the land available. Compensation has been computed at Rs 16/- per annum & assessment. On a previous occasion, the owners were paid at the rate of Rs 30/- per annum.

The S.D.O. also refers to the compensation payable later on for bringing lands under cultivation. It is not possible to ascertain this grievance as it will vary with the use to which the land will have been put in the meanwhile.

The Landowners may perhaps be informed that the land can be hired subject to payment of an annual rent of Rs 16/- per annum & subject to payment of compensation on the termination of the lease for such damages as may have been done to the land unless the land is

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restored to its original condition. They may also be informed that they may proceed with the preliminary work.

The D.C. may also be requested to take expeditiously further action to obtain relinquishments from the concerned land owners.

Sd/- [illegible]
for C.O.S.

DEWAN'S OFFICE
10 MAR. 1942
No. 7947

CHIEF SECRETARY
10 MAR. 19[illegible]
GOVT OF MYSORE

The report of the D.C. is submitted for perusal, as also the letter from Major Jacomb. I have phoned to Major Jacomb that I have submitted the file to the Dewan & on receipt of his telephonic & telephonic instructions, I will let him know whether the proceedings could be started.

Vide

The D.C. recommends a compensation of Rs 16 per acre, while he was getting Rs 20 per acre in Jatholi Camp. I think we may fix the compensation at Rs 20. In the C.T.P. it was stated that annual income per acre would be between Rs 25 & 50. I regret, time telephone

I agree MJ

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instructions may be issued to me to enable me to dispose of the matter.

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Secretary

11/3/42

I have the honour to forward herewith passports of the Members of the Executive Council proceeding to China.

13/3.

Hon'ble Finance Member)

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13.3.42

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Draft Telegram

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Secretary)

I am directed to request that the necessary instructions may be issued to the Consul General at Kunming to render all possible assistance to the Mission.

14/3

Secretary)

14/3/42

16/3

Today

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Land for military purposes at Haridwar

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Dol 17557 dt 18.3.42

To the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident

State that the Govt of Nepal will be glad to have the lands in question for military authorities subject to payment by them of an annual rent of Rs 20/- per acre and that a separate Communication will be made regarding the extent of 12 acres and the firing rights over an area of 600 acres.

Memo no R 5908 dt 19.3.42

To Copy of the above to the Dy. Cantonment with the request that the military authorities may be allowed to proceed with the preliminary work and that a report as regards the remaining 12 acres required by the authorities together with firing rights over an area of 600 ~~acres~~ acres may be furnished

Letter no CC. 87/41-42 dt 23.3.42 from the D.C. Cantonment stating that the military authorities will be allowed to proceed with preliminary work on their requisition and that as regards the extent of 12 acres and firing rights over an area of 600 acres, action will be taken to mark out the area after the military authorities appear and point out the particular area required by them

Submit for perusal

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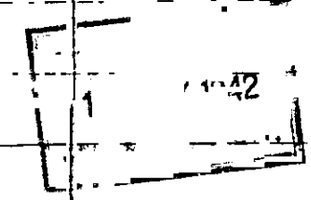
Lr. No. C.E. 87/41-42 dt. 9.6.42 from the Deputy Comr., Chitaldrug dt. stating that the Taluk Harihar Taluk has been instructed to allow the Garrison Engineer, Harihar to afford facilities to construct the Camp on the site marked "D" in the sketch.



Subs for perusal

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Subs - Further report from the D.C. Chitaldrug has not been received. If approved the papers will be transferred to War Section for further action.

16/7 JM

Subs with a draft letter to the D.C. Chitaldrug

16/7 17/7

Since the Residency has also been recommended for a reply to letter dated 18-3-42

R.O.C. dt. 17-7-42 to the D.C. Chitaldrug.

Regret unable to accept the final terms in respect of an extent of 12 acres 4 guntas and the firing rights over an area of 600 acres.

Serial No.

Subd with a draft letter to the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident

Dy Jan 19/7/2017

Dr Jan 19/7

AA 160 & 21.7.42

To Dr Jan — the Hon'ble the Resident

Regrets his inability while the Govt of India has communicated its decision in the matter

Subd

Submits whether these papers may be transferred to War section: —

Dy — Dr Jan 21/7

2 24/7/42 Jan 2712 War Sec)

(335) From. The Secy to the Govt of Rajputana RF 71-42/AA & 28th July-42 stating that a reply is awaited from the Mily authorities and that they have been reminded.

Subd for perusal.

Dr Jan

(25 29/7 Sec)

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534/W 1940/W Hiring of land at Haiter for clinfichin

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From The Asst to the Hon'ble the Resident RF 71-42/Pol & 4th Aug. 42 Requesting permission to proceed with the work pertg final settlement & taking of the land at Haiter for clinfichin range.	(336)
Issued 949/W & 8th Aug. 42 to the DC Chitaldrug for a report.	(337)
From The Asst to the Hon'ble the Resident R.F. 71-42/Pol & 14th Aug. 42 Forwg a copy of Head Qrs letter with the sketch. The previous letter of the Rly with the sketches received was sent to the D.C. Chitaldrug for an immediate report. The present letter with the sketch will be sent to him in continuation and he will be requested to expedite his report. Sended with a ~~report~~ Letter to the DC	(338)
(RS 15/8) Issued 1072/W & 15th Aug. 42 to the DC Chitaldrug.	(339)

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Lands required occupied by the Military for Rifle Range - Hariharpur

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From The Chief

(340) Chief 187(a)/42-43 dt 2nd Feb 43.

Forwards a copy of Chikmagalur DC's letter re: Lands occupied for Rifle Range and Compensation payable thereon.

The report seems to be with reference to last para of this office reply to the Rly and the subsequent letter of the Rly. Awaits for orders whether the Rly may be informed in continuation of the present details.

Please advise

Sd/-

Submitted with a draft to the Rly for approval

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(341) Issue Pd. 1600 dt 6th Feb. 43 to the Rly.
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Chief
D Chikmagalur

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Continuation Sheet.

Award Bill - Lists called for M T Trg Groups in Bangalore & Harihar.

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(342) From The C.R.

C.L.O. 490/42-43 d 26th June 43 forg the award bills received from the D C Chikballapur and Yearly approval of Govt re the Compensation mentioned in his reference in this Office.

A Kind reference is invited to the D Cs Report G on the Yearly Asst to the Residency intimating that the military authorities have to pay a Compensation of Rs 20 per annum. As such the award bills will be returned to the C.R for transmission to Head Qrs informing him that the rate has already been approved by Govt.

DS 1/7 Sec. Ju 1/7

Subd with a letter to the C.R for Secrt

DS 1/7 Sec. Ju 1/7

Draft for Secrt)

MH 5/7/43

CHIEF SECRETARY 1. JUL 1943 GOVT. OF MYSORE

(343) Issued 24/c d 5th July 43 to the R.C.

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

SECRET
VERY URGENT

No. RF. [redacted] /Pol.

Encl. 2

FROM

THE SECRETARY TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

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I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

No. 2969/GS 27.2.42

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

Dear Sir,

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I am to request you to be so good as to submit your views on the above proposals immediately and furnish also full and detailed particulars regarding the survey numbers and extent of land affected, the reasonable amount of annual rent that might be demanded of the authorities in respect of the above lands and

P.T.O.

also the amount of compensation that may have to be paid to the private persons whose lands will be acquired for the purpose.

The matter may be treated as immediate and a reply furnished urgently.

Yours sincerely,

The Dy. Commrs. of ~~Bangalore &~~ Chitaldrug.

No. 2964/C3
Encs: 2 plans

27th Febry. 42

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

From J. Telegram

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Yours faithfully

R.P. Mallappa Esq., B.A.,LL.B.,
Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug District.

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SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to CB 2692

Section

File No.

Serial No.

No. D. G 5658

To

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 5-3-42

Signed by Mr. S. K. V

Dear Sir,

In invitation ~~Letter~~ refer to this office letter no 2969/CB of 27.2.42 in the matter of hiring of Cars near Hatcher to the military authorities. I am desired to request you to kindly expedite your reply in the matter.

Yours sincerely

Sd/-

List of enclosures.....

To

R.P. Mallappa Esq O.A.M.A.

Dy Controller &c

Copied by .....

Examined by .....

TELEGRAM.

DEPCOM

CHITALDRUG

PLEASE EXPEDITE REPLY TO 2969 DATED TWENTYSEVENTH FEBRUARY REGARDING LAND FOR MILITARY AT HARIHAR

CHISEC

Tel. Address :—Depcom.
CHITALDRUG.

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

In reply, please refer to:
No C.C.87/41-42
Enclosures: five

**OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.**

Dated Chitaldrug, ..9th..March.....194 2

R 4528.

FROM

R. P. MALLAPPA, ESQ., B.A., LL.B.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District,
CHITALDRUG.

To

...Gulam..Mohayuddin..Mehkri, Esq.,B.A.,LL.B.,
Chief *Secretary to Government of Mysore,*
..... *Department*
BANGALORE.

SIR,

SUBJECT : — Land for Military purposes at Harihar.

With reference to your I.O. letter No.2769/C.B. dated 27th February 1942 on the above subject, I have the honour to state that the ground marked D in the sketch consists of 1232 acres 24 guntas including a phut kharab of 43 acres 9 guntas. The entire extent is arable land in the hands of tenants. A sketch prepared by the Land Records Surveyor showing the corresponding survey numbers as per blue print is also enclosed for favour of reference. The lands belong to six villages noted below:-

HARIHAR TALUK.

Village	Total Extent	Phut Kharab.
	A. G	A. G
(1) Mahajenahalli	293 - 11	19 - 37
(2) Shamshipura	200 - 18	5 - 33
(3) Belludi	7 - 0	-
(4) Seerapura	5 - 20	-
(5) Hanagavadi	416 - 8	11 - 21
DAVANGERE TALUK.		
(6) Agasanaghatta	310 - 7	5 - 38
Total	1232 - 24	43 - 9

A copy of the list of lands showing survey numbers with assessment is enclosed. . In respect of the lands of Agasanaghatta village of Davangere Taluk, the assessment is not noted. This information will be obtained and sent separately. The above extent does not include the danger area required for shooting purposes.

The Sub Division Officer, Davangere, has inspected the lands and has submitted a detailed report, a copy of which is enclosed for kind perusal. As explained by him, the lands may be leased out to the Military Department at an annual rent of Rs.16/- per acre of land which appears to me quite reasonable. The rent includes the annual land revenue assessment due to - Government and the compensation payable to the tenant (Khatedar or owner) for loss of crops.

As all the lands are cultivable, some of them may, probably, be rendered unfit for cultivation, as they will have to be used for various purposes by the Military Department. It may not be possible to say now what damage will be caused to the lands and what it will cost to make that damage good. This will have to be decided upon after the expiry of the term.

On receipt of the formal approval in the matter, action will be taken to hand over the lands to the authorities concerned, and to take proceedings under Section 17 and 35 of Land Acquisition Act.

The plans received with your letter are returned herewith.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug Dist.

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Letter No.A4.P.R.50/41-42 dated 2nd March 1942, from the Assistant Commissioner, Davangere Sub Livision, to the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug District.

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Subject:- Site for Military training Camp at Harihar.

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With reference to your confidential memo No.C.C.87 of 41-42 dated 28th February 1942, calling for report on the subject, I have the honour to state that as per your kind direction, I walked over the entire area marked 'D' in the enclosed sketch that is finally selected by the Military - authorities. The land selected is about a mile and a half from Harihar town. It is an elevated gravelly site to the left on the road to Shimoga from Harihar. From the centre of the site the land slopes off in all directions. The - site is between Samshipur to the south, Harihar town to the North, Bati Hills and Hale Bathi village to the East, and Harihar-Shimoga Road to the west. From the Northern end of the site the Thungabhadra River is little over a mile as the crow flies. The land selected is roughly 1232 - 24 guntas, out of which an extent of 43 - 9 guntas forms the phut kharab besides the ground selected for firing practice and belongs to six villages viz., Shamsipur, Mahajenahally, Agasanakatte, Belludi, Seerapura, and Hanagavadi. The Revenue villages Agasanakatte and Seerapura are becharak villages, of which, Agasanakatte is in Davangere Taluk and Mahajenahally is practically merged in Harihar Town itself. The other three are populated villages of Harihar Taluk.

Being close to Harihar Town, there is great demand for lands in the area selected for Military camping ground and practically the entire area selected is under plough. I enquired the villagers about their willingness to part with the land in case a contingency were to arise for the above

above purpose. They all in a voice replied that in that case, they would be put to great hardship in maintaining themselves and th their cattle. Finally they were agreeable to part with their lands temporarily provided they were properly compensated. - According to them, the entire family would be thrown out of employment and their cattle would run short of fodder. The following is a short analysis of their average income from lands, taking a plot of 5 acres of dry land as the unit.

Corn (Ragi or Jola)	14 Pallas at Rs.6/-	Rs.84/-
Fodder	10 Carts (the present market value)	Rs.25/-

The above is the money value of the yield in fields. Besides the above, the following is the subsidiary income, that the ryot derives from his land. His cows and buffaloes graze in the field in most part of the year. From these live stock, the ryot earns a sum of Rs.10/- on the average per plot of 5 acres. The total income for a plot of 5 acres is therefore Rs.119/- or Rs.120/- roughly. The ryot will be deprived of this income if he is dispossessed of his lands and consequently unemployed. As against this amount he saves the following amount in the shape of agricultural expenses. On the average he spends between Rs.50/- and Rs.60/- towards agricultural - expenses for a plot of 5 acres. Thus his net income for a plot of 5 acres ranges between Rs.60/- and Rs.70/-.

He is also free to work as a labourer and earn his livelihood. There are three difficulties regarding the above. Firstly, cooli work may not be available all the year round. Secondly, only able-bodied persons in a ryot's family can find employment. Thirdly, many respectable ryots may not be willing to work as labourers as it will be a first experience in their life. If however, the Military authorities undertake to - employ only the expropriated ryots who are suitable for their work in preference to others, the problem of unemployment will

~~unemployment~~ will be solved for the most part. As regards the rate of lease, it is seen from the data furnished above that the ryot will loose an income of Rs.12/- to Rs.14/- per acre of land lost by him. This amount is besides the assessment that he has to pay on the land. Since the lands are being compulsarily leased, on the anology of acquisition, they may be entitled to a statutory allowance of Rs.15/- % in addition to the actual compensation. Taking all these above facts into consideration, I am of opinion that all the lands may be recommended to be leased out on an uniform rate of Rs. 16/- per acre, per annum inclusive of assessment on the lands. Between land and land among the lands selected for the purpose, there is not much distinct difference. A belt of lands to the East and South are a little more fertile than the rest but do not call for any preferential treatment in my opinion. Even the ryots that were present did not press for any such distinction.

There is one dspect of the cost that can not be determined at this stage and that is the amount of compensation that may have to be paid to the owners of the lands that may have to be dug up or otherwise dealt with, for putting them into various kinds of use. In such instances, the exact cost of restoring them to their original condition will have to be actually estimated according to the quantity of work involved. If however, the Military authorities undertake to restore the lands to the original condition, themselves, this item of cost does not arise at all now.

The entire extent of lands selected is under occupancy, by ryots. There is not even an acre of Government land among the entire area selected for the purpose at present. Hence, all the compensation has to be paid to the ryots only.

As soon as orders are received, action will be taken to

to take the ryots' written consent for all the lease deeds. In extreme cases, where the ryot refuses consent, action may perhaps have to be taken to acquire the lands temporarily. In the meanwhile, the Amildar has been asked to place the land at the disposal of the Military authorities with the consent of the ryots, should there be any urgent requisition from them. I may kindly be instructed in this behalf.

A list of survey numbers in the six villages in question with their respective area and assessment is enclosed herewith as desired for kind perusal. The entire records and the sketch are herewith resubmitted.

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Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug Dist.

LIST SHOWING THE LANDS REQUIRED BY THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT IN HARIHAR TALUK.

Taluk	Hobli	Village	Sy No.	Extent: Total A.	G.	Phut A.	G.	Kharab A.	G.	Net A.	G.	Assessment.
Harihar.												
	Kasaba.											
		Mahajena Halli.	56	13	26	4	16			9	10	3-0-0.
			57	26	3	3	32			22	11	9-8-0
			Portion 50	6	35	0	35			6	0	3-0-0
			51/1	6	6	0	13			5	33	2-7-0
			51/2	10	2	0	21			9	21	4-1-0
			Portion 52.	8	0		-			8	0	4-0-0
			58	21	5	2	29			18	16	7-0-0
			59	19	35	0	32			19	3	13-0-0
			60	25	38	1	11			24	27	11-0-0
			61	12	30	0	32			11	38	3-8-0
			62/1	7	17	0	4			7	13	2-5-0
			62/2	8	25	0	5			8	23	2-11-0
			63/1	8	7	0	25			7	22	2-6-0
			63/2	7	39	0	25			7	14	2-5-0
			63/3	8	9	0	33			7	16	2-5-0
			64	20	21	0	15			20	6	5-0-0
			65	15	24	1	7			14	17	4-8-0
			66	16	-	0	0			16	-	2-0-0
			67/1	11	30	0	02			11	28	2-15-0
			67/2	11	38	0	3			11	35	3-1-0
			68	26	18	0	17			26	1	3-8-0
		Total		293	11	19	37			273	14	93-8-0
		HANAGAVADI.	14	16	8		-			16	8	2-0-0
			15	21	1	0	23			20	18	6-8-0
			16/1	3	5	0	8			2	37	1-4-0
			16/1(a)	6	20	0	18			6	2	2-12-0
			16/2	6	37	0	22			6	15	2-13-0
			16/3	5	13	0	19			4	34	2- 3-0
			17/1	7	30	0	38			6	32	2 -9.0
			17/2	1	4		-			1	4	0- 7-0
			17/3	3	9	0	1			3	8	1 3 0
			17/4	3	14	0	1			3	13	1 4 0
			17/5	4	14	0	3			4	11	1 10 0
			17/6	2	22		-			2	22	0 15 0
			18	21	11	0	18			20	33	9 0 0
			19	18	36	0	17			18	19	6 0 0
			20	18	10	1	14			16	36	5 8 0
			21	19	7	1	9			17	38	6 8 0
			22	21	9		--			21	9	5 8 0
			23	13	18		--			13	18	1 12 0
			24	21	38	0	21			21	17	8 0 0
			25	20	26	0	33			19	33	6 0 0
			26	14	20	0	12			14	8	3- 8-0
			27/1	9	32		-			9	32	2 5 0
			27/2	9	8	0	2			9	6	2 3 0
			28	22	12	0	30			21	22	5 8 0
			29	21	12		-			21	12	5 8 0
			30	14	20	0	20			14	0	3 8 0
			31	14	19	0	26			13	33	1 12 0
			32/1	7	7	0	4			7	3	2 12 0
			32/2	9	29		-			9	29	3 12 0
			33/1	2	27		-			2	27	1 4 0
			33/2	7	39		-			7	39	3 6 0
			33/3	5	19		-			5	19	2 6 0
			34	16	36	1	2			15	34	6 0 0

Taluk.	Hobli.	Village.	Sl. No.	Extent. Total.	Phut Kharab.	Net.	Assessment.
HARIHAR.	Kasaba.	HANAGAVADI	35/1	10 32	-	10.32	4- 8 0
			35/2	6 26	-	6 26	2-13-0
			35/3	6 18	-	6 18	2-11-0
		Total.		416 8	11 21	404 27	127- 8-0
-do-	-do-	Samshipura.	6/1	1 38	0 1	1 37	0-12-0
			6/1(a)	7 26	0 3	7 23	3- 8-0
			6/2	2 25	0 4	2 21	1- 2-0
			6/3	3 2	-	3 2	1- 5-0
			6/4	3 4	-	3 4	1- 6-0
			6/5	2 10	-	2 10	1- 0-0
			10/1	6 31	0 6	6 25	3- 5-0
			10/2	10 37	0 10	10 27	5- 6-0
			10/3	4 25	0 3	4 22	2- 5-0
			11	12 0	--	12 0	5- 0-0
			12	12 8	1 12	10 36	3- 8-0
			15	21 13	0 39	20 14	6- 8-0
			16/1	11 7	0 22	10 25	2-10-0
			16/2	2 20	0 13	2 7	0- 9-0
			16/3	3 1	0 14	2 27	0-11-0
			16/4	2 34	0 13	2 21	0-10-0
			17/1	1 35	--	1 35	0- 7-0
			17/2	2 28	--	2 28	0-11-0
			17/3	6 21	--	6 21	1-10-0
			18	18 33	0 13	18 20	6- 0-0
			14	21 20	1 0	20 20	7- 8-0
		Portion	19	12 0	--	12 0	3-15-0
		-do-	13	9 0	--	9 0	1- 2-0
		"	9	2 0	--	2 0	0- 8-0
		"	7	3 0	-	3 0	1- 5-0
		"	5	4 0	-	4 0	1-10-0
		"	26	11 0	-	11 0	4-13-0
		Total.		200 18	5 33	194 25	69- 2-0
-do-	-do-	Belludi.					
		Portion.	34	2- 0	-	2 0	0-14-0
		"	35	5 0	-	5 0	2- 3-0
		Total.		7 0	-	7 0	3- 1-0
-do-	-do-	Sirapura.					
		Portion.	49	5 20	-	5 20	6- 4-0
Davan-gere.		Agasan-katte.	4	15 29	-	15 29	
			3	18 5	-	18 5	
			2	15 12	-	15 12	
			1	12 8	-	12 8	
			56	7 17	-	7 17	
			54/1	13 1	0 18	12 23	
			54/2	7 7	0 8	6 39	
		Portion.	53	9 0	-	9 0	
		"	47	10 0	-	10 0	
			49/1	6 -	0 9	5 31	
			49/2	14 31	0 19	14 12	
		"	50	1 -	-	1 0	
		"	26	4 -	-	4 -	
		"	27	3 -	-	3 -	

Taluk. Hobli.	Village.	Sl. No.	Extent. Total.	Phut Kharab.	Net.	Assessment.
Davangere Taluk.	Agasankatte.- village.					
	Portion.	28	1 0	-	1 0	
		39	11 7	0 6	11 1	
		40	13 -	0 12	12 28	
		41	12 8	-	12 8	
		42	10 34	0 7	10 27	
		43	12 36	0 24	12 12	
		44	22 10	6 35	21 15	
		45	7 12	1 20	5 32	
		46	20 32	0 16	20 16	
		48	16 38	0 24	16 14	
	Portion	38	2 20	-	2 20	
	"	37	11 0	-	11 0	
	"	36	20 0	-	20 0	
	"	35	1 20	-	1 20	
	Total.		310 7	5 38	304 9	

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Harihar. Kasaba.	Mahajenahalli.		293-11	19-37	273-14
	Hanagavadi.		416- 8	11-21	404-27
	Samshipura.		200-18	5-33	194-25
	Belludi.		7- 0	-	7- 0
	Sirapura.		5-20	-	5-20
Davangere Taluk.	Agasankatte.		310- 7	5-38	304- 9
	Grand Total.		1232-24	43- 9	1189-15

" C O P Y "

Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

SECRET
VERY URGENT

No. RF.71-42/Pol.

FROM

THE SECRETARY
TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore, the 10th March *1942*.

Subject:- Hiring of land at Harihar.

SIR,

I am directed to refer to my letter No.RF.71-42/Pol dated the 25th February 1942 and to enquire whether as requested in paragraph 6 of the letter the military authorities may proceed with the preliminary work pending a final settlement.

2. The favour of a very early reply is requested.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

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Tel. Address :—Depcom.
CHITALDRUG.

In reply, please refer to :
No CC87/41-42.
Enclosures : One.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Dated Chitaldrug, 13th March, *1942.*

FROM

R. P. MALLAPPA, ESQ., B.A., LL.B.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District,
CHITALDRUG.

To

Gulam Mohiyuddin Mehkri., Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Chief *Secretary to Government of Mysore,*
..... ~~*Department*~~,
BANGALORE.

SIR,

SUBJECT :— Land for Military purpose at Harihar.

In continuation of my letter No: CC 87/41-42 dated 9th instant, I have the honour to forward herewith the Statement showing the lands belonging to Agasanaghatta Village, with assessment in respect of each Survey No: for favour of information and orders of Government in the matter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District,

M.L.R

List showing the lands acquired by the Military Department in Davangere Taluk.

Taluk.	Hobli.	Village	S.No.	Extent Total.	Phut Khrab.	Net.	Assessment	Remarks.
				A. G.	A. G.	A. G.	Rs. as. P.	
Davangere	Kasaba Davangere	AgasanKatte	4	15.29	--	15.29	20- 0- 0	
			3	18.5	--	18.5	23- 0- 0	
			2	15.12	--	15.12	17- 0- 0	
			1	12. 8	--	12. 8	7- 0- 0	
			56	17.17	--	17.17	1[illegible] 2-0	
			54/1	13. 1	0.18	12.23	4-13- 0	
			54/2	7. 7	0. 8	6.39	2-11- 0	
			53	9- 0	--	9. 0	6-12- 0	
			47	10- 0	--	10.0	8-12- 0	
			49/1	6- 0	0. 9	5.31	4- 5- 0	
			49/2	14.31	0.19	14.12	10-11- 0	
			50.	1. 0	--	1. 0	1- 0- 0	
			26	4- 0	--	4.0	3- 0- 0	
			27	3- 0	--	3- 0	3- 0- 0	
			28	1- 0	--	1- 0	0-12-0	
			39	11. 7	0. 6	11. 1	7- 8-0	(7 · 8 · 0)
			40	13. 0	0.12	12.28	9- 8-0	
			41	12. 8	--	12- 8	4- 8-0	
			42	10.34	0. 7	10.27	7- 8-0	(7 · 8 · 0)
			43	12.36	0.24	12.12	9- 0-0	
			44	22.10	0.35	21.15	9- 8-0	
			45	9.12	1.20	5.32	0-12-0	
			46	20.32	0.16	20.16	5- 0-0	
			48	16.38	0.24	16.14	11- 0-0	
			38	2.20	--	2.20	1- 8-0	
			37	11. 0	--	11. 0	7- 0-0	
			36	20. 0	--	20.0	9- 0-0	
			35	1.20	--	1.20	0-12-0	
				310.7	5.38	304.9	208-6-0	

Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District,

M.L.R

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Pol. 1753 & 1873/42

To

The Secy. to the Resident.

Sir,

With reference to ~~correspondence ending~~ with your letter No.R.F.71-42/Pol. dated the 25th Feb & RJ 71-42/pol 27. 10th March 1942 regarding the establishment of two groups of General ~~Transport~~ Transport Companies near Harihar, I am directed to state that the ground marked D in the sketch received with your letter which has been selected for the purpose is reported to measure about 1,232 acres and 24 guntas including a phut kharab of 43 acres and 9 guntas, and that the entire extent is said to be under cultivation and in the possession of tenants. The Govt. of H.H. the Maharaja will be glad to ~~hire~~ hire the above lands to the Military Authorities for so long as they may be required for the purpose subject to the payment by the ~~Military Authorities~~ latter of ~~the~~ an annual rent of Rs.20/- per acre, which is intended to compensate the ryots for the loss of crop due to their being kept out of possession of these lands.

I am to request you to be so good as to intimate the decision of the Govt. of India in the matter so that necessary further action may be ~~arranged to be~~ taken.

P.T.O.

I am to add that pending the final settlement of this question, the Govt. have no objection ~~xx~~ to the Military Authorities proceeding with the preliminary work and that necessary instructions are being issued to the Dy. Commr., Chitaldrug District in the matter.

A separate communication will be made to you regarding the extent of 12 acres required to the east of the plot marked D and ~~xxxx~~ firing rights over an area of 600 acres referred to in your letter of the 25th Febry. 1942.

I have etc.,

R. 5938 & 19/3/42 Chief Secy. to Govt.

Copy to the Dy. Commr., Chitaldrug Dist., with reference to his letter ~~dated~~ G.C. 87/41-42 with the request that on the requisition of the Military Authorities, he may arrange to allow the authorities to proceed with the preliminary work. He is further requested to submit a report as regards the remaining 12 acres required by the Military Authorities together with firing rights over an extent of 600 acres referred to in ~~the Residency~~ letter ~~No.~~ No 2969/ dated ~~copy of which was sent to him with this office letter No. dated.~~

CONFIDENTIAL-

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat.

Dated Bangalore,.....18th March 1942.

No. Pol 1755

FROM

The Chief *Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.*

To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letters No.R.F.71-40/Pol. dated the 25th February and R.F.71-42/Pol. dated 10th March 1942 regarding the establishment of two groups of General Purposes Transport Companies near Harihar, I am directed to state that the ground marked D in the sketch received with your letter which has been selected for the purpose is reported to measure about 1,232 acres and 24 guntas including a phut kharab of 43 acres and 9 guntas, and that the entire extent is said to be under cultivation and in the possession of tenants. The Government of His Highness the Maharaja will be glad to hire the above lands to the Military Authorities for so long as they may be required for the purpose subject to the payment by the latter of an annual rent of Rs.20/- per acre which is intended to compensate the ryots for the loss of crop due to their being kept out of possession of these lands.

I am to request you to be so good as to intimate the decision of the Government of India in the matter so that necessary further action may be taken.

I am to add that pending the final settlement of this question, the Government have no objection to the Military Authorities proceeding with the preliminary work and that necessary instructions are being issued to the Deputy Commissioner Chitaldrug District in the matter.

A separate communication will be made to you regarding

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regarding the extent of 12 acres required to the east of the plot marked D and the firing rights over an area of 600 acres referred to in your letter of the 25th February 1942.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Sd. G.M. Mekhri

Chief Secretary to Government.

Aga/3.

Memo No. R. 5938 Dated, Bangalore the 19 March 1942.

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug District with reference to his letter No.G.C.87/41-42 dated 9th March 1942 with the request that on the requisition of the Military Authorities he may arrange to allow the authorities to proceed with the preliminary work. He is further requested to submit a report as regards the remaining 12 acres required by the Military authorities together with firing rights over and extent of 600 acres referred to in letter No.2969/CA. dated 27th February 1942.

By Order,

Chief Secretary to Government.

Aga/2.

CONFIDENTIAL

Tel. Address :—Depcom.
CHITALDRUG.

In reply, please refer to :
No C.C.87/41-42
Enclosures :

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Dated Chitaldrug, ...23rd March.....*194* 2.

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FROM

R. P. MALLAPPA, ESQ., B.A., LL.B.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District,
CHITALDRUG.

To

Gulam Mohayuddin Mehkri, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Chief *Secretary to Government of Mysore,*
..... *Department,*
BANGALORE.

SIR,

SUBJECT :—Land for Military purposes at Harihar.

With reference to your memo No.R.5938 dated the 19th instant on the above subject, I have the honour to state that the Military authorities will be allowed to proceed with the preliminary work on their requisition and that as regards the extent of 12 acres required to the east of the plot marked D and the firing rights over an area of 600 acres action will be taken to mark out the area and to get a sketch prepared, after the Military Authorities appear and point out the particular area required by them. The final report in this connection will be forwarded in consultation with the Military authorities at the spot.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug Dist.

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R. V. MALLAPPA, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Deputy Commissioner.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

D. O. C. C. 87/41-42

Dated Chitaldrug, ...9th...J...u...n...e.....*1942*.

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W. No. 3/16

Rev Bdr)

Dear Sir,

Subject:- Camp Site = Harihar.

I write to state for the kind information of Government, that the Amildar, Harihar Taluk, has been instructed to allow the Garrison Engineer, Harihar, to afford facilities to construct the Camp on the site, marked "D". A copy of the memo is herein enclosed.

Yours sincerely,

To

Gulam Mohiyuddin Mehkri, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

Confidential.
No.C.C.87/41-42

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District,
Chitaldrug, dated, 9th Mxaxyx June 1942

Reference:-

Report No.M.P.R.1/41-42 dated the 5th June 1942 from the Amildar, Harihar Taluk, submitting a copy of letter No.C/2 received from the Garrison Engineer, Harihar, re: the Camp Site at Harihar.

M E M O.

With reference to the above, the Amildar, Harihar Taluk is informed that he may afford all possible facilities to the Garrison Engineer to construct the Camp on the site.

SD/- R.P.Mallappa.
Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District.

"C O P Y"

Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District.

To

The Amildar, Harihar Taluk.

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

Section

File No.

Serial No.

No. 6054

To The Deputy Commissioner, Chittagong Dist

General and Revenue Secretariat

( )

the *19*

Date of issue.....

Signed by .....

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter no C. 87/11-42 dt 9-6-42 regarding re-establishment of this group of General Purposes Transport Companies near Haikar, I am directed to request you please furnish me with a report as regards the final action taken in respect of an extent of 12 acres of land to be kept open-plot in question required by the military authorities and the firing rights over an area of 6000 acres. An urgent reply in this matter is requested please.

Yours faithfully

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 21st July 1942

Signed by Mr. S. K. V.

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Section

File No.

Serial No.

No. Rel 160

To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident

Sir,

I am writing this reference to this office letter no Rel 1755 dt 18-3-42 stating that the Govt of Mysore has no objection to have the lands required by the military authorities for the establishment of General Purpose Transport Companies near Harihar subject to the payment of an annual rent of Rs 20 per acre which is intended to compensate the ryots for the loss of crop, I am directed to request you to be so good as to intimate whether the Govt of India has communicated its decision in the matter to the French

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat.

Dated Bangalore, 21st July 1942.

No. Ll 160

FROM

The Chief *Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.*

To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

In inviting kind reference to this office letter No.Pol. 1755 dated 18th March 1942 stating that the Government of Mysore has no objection to hire the lands required by the Military Authorities for the establishment of General Purposes Transport Companies near Harihar subject to the payment of an annual rent of Rs.20/- per acre which is intended to compensate the ryots for the loss of crop, I am directed to request you to be so good as to intimate whether the Government of India has communicated its decision in the matter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Chief Secretary to Government.

Aga/2.

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

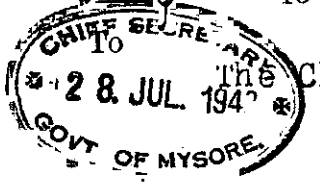
No.R.F.71-42/Pol.

401/W.

W.89-42-335

FROM

THE SECRETARY
TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.



To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, the 28th July *1942.*

HIRING OF LAND AT HARIHAR.

SIR,

I am directed to refer to your letter No.Pol. C 160/L.R., dated the 21st July 1942 and to state that a reply on the subject is awaited from the Military authorities. They have been reminded.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

BJ

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

CONFIDENTIAL.
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No. R.F.71-42/Pol. 534/W

W.89-42-336

FROM

THE SECRETARY TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

CHIEF SECRETARY. 6. AUG. 1942 GOVT. OF MYSORE.

To The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore, the 4th August *194* 2.

Hiring of land at Harihar for Classification Range.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to paragraph 4 of your letter No.Pol.1755/R, dated the 18th March 1942 regarding the additional land to the East of Plot D and the firing rights over an area of 600 acres and to state that the classification range has now been sited by a Board of Military officers. A sketch of the site required, received from the Military authorities, is enclosed for the approval of the Government of Mysore. A sketch indicating the possible sites at Harihar and the location of the range is also enclosed. The military authorities state that only the ground for the firing points and stopbutt is required and firing rights over the remainder of the danger area shown. They also state that the Officer Commanding at Harihar has been asked to obtain the Survey Nos. of the land and forward a sketch showing the area required. It is understood that the lands are not cultivated.

The Military authorities request that, pending final settlement, they may kindly be permitted to proceed with the work as the need is a very urgent one and all training will be held up if the work is not proceeded with immediately.

3. The Hon'ble the Resident would be grateful if the Government of Mysore would kindly comply with the request of the

the Military authorities.

The favour of a very early reply is requested.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

ksln.

W.89-42-337.

URGENT

Letter No:R. F.71-42/Pol. dated the 4th August 1942 from the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Bangalore.

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Subject: Hiring of land at Harihar for classification Range.

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I am directed to refer to paragraph 4 of your letter No.Pol. 1755/R.dated the 18th March 1942 regarding the additional land to the East of Plot D and the firing rights over an area of 600 acres and to state that the classification range has now been sited by a Board of Military Officers. A sketch of the site required, received from the Military authorities, is enclosed for the approval of the Government of Mysore. A sketch indicating the possible sites at Harihar and the location of the range is also enclosed. The military authorities state that only the ground for the firing points and stopbutt is required and firing rights over the remainder of the danger area shown. They also state that the Officer Commanding at Harihar has been asked to obtain the Survey Nos. of the land and forward a sketch showing the area required. It is understood that the lands are not cultivated.

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3. The Hon'ble the Resident would be grateful if the Government of Mysore would kindly comply with the request of the Military authorities.

The favour of a very early reply is requested.

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Memo No. 949/W Ech. 2.

Dated. ~~Camp Mysore~~ Bangalore, 8th August 1942.

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Deputy Commissioner Chitaldrug for immediate report.

for M.S.M.

Chief Secretary to Government.

The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

Confidential
U R G E N T.
No. R.F.71-42/Pol. 640/W
W. 89-42-338.

FROM

THE SECRETARY
TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore, the 14th August *1942.*

Hiring of land at Harihar for classification range.

SIR,

In continuation of my letter No.R.F.71-42/Pol., dated the 4th August 1942, I am directed to forward for favour of necessary action a copy of letter from Headquarters, Bangalore Area, No.156/2/68/19/Q, dated the 12th August 1942 with enclosure in original.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

CHIEF SECRETARY
14. AUG. 1942
GOVT OF MYSORE.

P.T.O.

No.156/2/68/19/Q.
H.Q.Bangalore Area.
Bangalore 12 Aug 42.

To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident
in Mysore.

War Emergency works - Harihar.

Sir,

I have the honour to state that 16 target classification range is required for use by the Military now stationed at Harihar. The enclosed blue print of the area required with the revenue numbers are marked thereon in red ink. The only area over which firing rights are required is shown in the above blue prints in red ink A.B/E.F./H.G/ The rest of the danger area as shown is considered quite safe on account of the hill which is 2,330 ft.high.

Will you please address the Government of Mysore for the acquisition of the land referred to in the plan in order that work may be undertaken for the construction of the firing range.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Sd/- John Stubbs,
Major.
D.A.A.& Q. M. G.

Copy to S.D.O.Harihar, with the request to contact with the O.C."A"(M.T.)Training Group, and to commence the preliminary work in connection with the acquisition of the required land.

Copy to O.C."A"(MT)Training Group, Harihar, ref. his No.27/17/HA, dated 5 Aug.42.

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IMMEDIATE.

W.89-42-339.

No.1072/Ex. Rule Two. 15th August 1942.

The Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District.

Hiring of land at Harihar for classification Range.

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In continuation of this office memo No.949/W dated the 8th August 1942 on the above subject, I am directed to forward for your information a copy of letter from the Headquarters, Bangalore Area, No.156/2/68/19/Q dated the 12th August 1942 with enclosure, and to request you kindly to expedite your report in the matter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

W·89-42-340. 2363 W.

No.C.L.O. 187(a)/42.43.
Encl. 3: one list one Stt and one Blue print

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE

Dated Bangalore, ..February...2nd.....*194* 3.

FROM Mothamed-ul-Mulk
M. G. Mehkri, Esq., B.A.,LL.B.,
Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.
and Civil Liaison Officer.

To

J. Appaji Gowda, Esq., B.A.,(Hons),
Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

SIR,

CHIEF SECRETARY 5 FEB 19 GOVT OF MYSORE

Subject:— Lands occupied by the Military - for Rifle Range - Harihar.

I have the honour to invite your kind reference to your D.O. letter No. 2769/C.B. dated 27-2-1942 addressed to the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, re: the above subject, I forward herewith a copy of Chitaldrug Deputy Commissioner's report No. CC.87/42-43 dated 17-12-1942 since received in the matter wherein he has stated that the actual area taken for the purpose is 20 acres and 30 guntas (assessed at Rs 12-12-6) instead of 12 acres as stated in your letter No. 2969/C.B. dated 27-2-42. The Deputy Commissioner has proposed the compensation in respect of these lands to be fixed at Rs 20/- per acre per annum.

I also enclose a list of lands required together with the plan (blue print) received along with the Deputy Commissioner's letter for favour of information and necessary action.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Revenue Commissioner and
Civil Liaison Officer.

SR.

C. F. No. 45]

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

Telegram / phone

OFFICE OF

The Deputy Commissioner,

Chitaldrug District,

C h i t a l d r u g.

No. C.C. 87/41-42.
Encls. 3. 2 List & One Plan.

Date 17th Dated, Dec: 1942.

To

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T.Kesaviengar.,Esq.,B.A.,

Revenue Commissioner & Civil Liaison Officer

in Mysore, B a n g a l o r e.

Sir,

Subject:- Land occupied by the Military- for Rifle Range, H a r i h a r.

In continuation of my letter No. C.C. 87/41-42 dated the 9th instant, forwarding the list of lands and plans of the area taken up for "A" M.T.Group, Harihar, I have the honour to forward herewith a list of lands required for the Rifle Range shown in the enclosed Blue Prints in Red Ink A.B/E.F.G/H.G., situated to the east of Plot "D" taken up for "A" M.T. Group. An extent of about 12 acres was supposed to be required for Rifle Range as per Chief Secretary's letter No. 2969/C.B. dated 27-2-1942, but on actual measurement the area comes to 20 acres 30 Guntas assessed at Rs. 12-12-6., As portions of S.Nos. 233,234,235,236,237, & 238 (of Doddabathi Village, Davangere taluk) are taken for the purpose, the Phut Kharab included in these Survey Numbers is not taken into account. The compensation payable in respect of this area may kindly be fixed at Rs. 20/- per acre per annum as in the case of lands already recommended for other purposes.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

M.L.R

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
Chitaldrug District.

STATEMENT showing lands taken up by the Military for RIFLE RANGE, Harihar, Chitaldroog District.

TALUK	VILLAGE	NAME OF KHATEDAR OR OWNER.	S.No.	Dry wet or garden	Extent (Total)	Phut Kharab	Remaining extent.	Assessment	Extent required	Assessment.
Davangere	Doddabati	1. Mahadevappa bin Karisiddappa.	233/1	DRY	6- 6	0-2	6- 4	3-0-0	0-13	0- 2-6
		2. Murigappa bin Gurusanthappa Pallagatte.	234/1	"	4-23	0-1	4-27	2-11-0	2- 0	1- 0-0
		3. Mahadevappa bin Gowder Siddalingappa.	234/2	"	4-16	0-1	4-15	2- 8-0	1-27	0-15-0
		4. Sanna Siddappa bin Obali, deceased wife Siddavva.	234/3	"	4- 7	0-3	4- 4	2- 5-0	1-26	0-15-0
		5. Siddappa bin Siddappa.	235/1	"	8- 6	0-3	8- 3	5- 6-0	3- 0	2- 0-0
		6. Siddappa bin Siddalingappa deceased - son Siddalingappa.	235/2	"	8-20	0-3	8-17	5-10-0	2-38	2- 0-0
		7. Kenchavva Father Mudiyappa.	236	"	14-33	0-7	7-13	5- 0-0	3- 8	2- 4-0
		8. Siddalingavva alias Mingavva mother Siddavva	"	"			7-13	5- 0-0	3-10	2- 4-0
		9. Kadappa Bhanuvalli.	237/1	"	2-25	-	2-25	1- 4-0	1- 1	0- 8-0
		10. Siddappa bin Mudiyappa.	237/2	"	2-27	-	2-27	1- 4-0	0-33	0- 6-0
		11. Mahadevappa bin Adivappa.	238	"	9- 5	0-1	9- 4	5- 0-0	0-34	0- 6-0
								Total	20-30	12-12-6

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
CHITALDROOG DISTRICT.

T.M.C.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat, W:89 G2-341.

No. Pol 1610 *Bangalore, Dated,* 6th February 1943.

From

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

Hiring of land at Harihar for classification range.

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No.R.F.71-42/Pol. dated 14th August 1942 regarding the additional land to the east of plot D and the firing rights under an area of 600 acres for use of the Military at Harihar, I am directed to state that it is since reported that the actual area taken for the purpose is 20 acres and 30 guntas (assessed at Rs.12-12-6) and not 12 acres as stated in your letter dated 25th February 1942. I am to add that compensation in respect of these lands has been fixed at Rs.20/- per acre.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

(Sd) J. Appaji Gowda,

Chief Secretary to Government.

Mem 3361-62/W dated 6.2.63

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Appendix F. G.—1]

SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue.... 6.2.43

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War File No. 89-42

Serial No. 341.

No. Pol. 1610

To The Secy to the Hon'ble the Revenue Member

Hiring of land at Nasirabad for Classification range

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. R. F. 21(42)/Pol 8 14th Aug. 42 requiring the additional land to the East of Plot No. 8 on the firing rights over an area of 1600 acres for range of the Artillery at Nasirabad I am directed to state that it is since reported that the actual area taken for the purpose is 20 acres and 30 guntas (assessed at Rs 12-12-0) and not 12 acres as stated in your letter of 25th Feby. 42. I am to add that Compensation at Rs 20 per acre

~~per answer has to be sent in respect of~~
the lands has been fixed at Rs 20 per acre

I have th

Memo no 3361-62/W. Chief Secy to Govt. of
dated 6-2-43
Cys to C.H.O with reference to his letter 2nd Feb.

D C Chittagong.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

Telegraphic Address

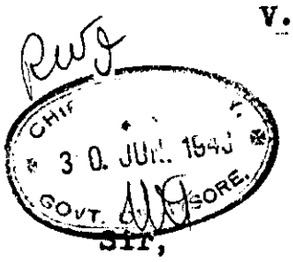
OFFICE OF
THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER AND CIVIL
REPRESENTATIVE IN MYSORE.

No. C.L.Q.490/42-43.
Encls. Notice in Triplicate.

Date 28th June 1943.

ENDORSEMENT.

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.



Sir,

Subject:- Award Bill - Lands taken up - "A" M.T. Training Groups in Harihar and Davangere Taluks.

I have the honour to forward herewith copies of letters No. P.R.15-C.87/41-42 dated 28th May 1943 and 9th June 1943 on the above subject received from the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug District, together with the award bills in triplicate. According to him the total amount of compensation (lease amount) payable to the owners of the land is Rs.22,595-8-0 as detailed in the margin. The lease amount has been calculated at Rs.20/- per acre per annum. As there are no references with full particulars in this Office on this subject, I request that the award bills may kindly be transmitted to the Head Quarters for acceptance or they may be returned to this Office after the approval of Government for being transmitted to Head Quarters.

*(Vide overleaf).

	Rs.	A.	P.
1) For lands taken up in Davangere Taluk.	6,365	0	0
2) For lands taken up in Harihar Taluk.	16,230	8	0
	22,595	8	0

The favour of an early reply is requested.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M. Venkatarao
Revenu Commissioner and
Civil Representative.

Letter No. P.R.15-C.87/41-42 dated 9th June 1943 from the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug District, to the Revenue Commissioner ~~in Mysore~~ and Civil Liaison Officer in Mysore, Bangalore.

Subject:- Award Bill - Lands taken up - "A" M.T. Training Group - Harihar.

I have the honour to forward herewith an award bill in triplicate for Rs.16,230-8-0 in respect of lands taken up by the Military for the above purpose in the different villages noted in the margin. The lease amount has been calculated at Rs.20/- per acre per annum. The bill may kindly be got accepted by the Military Head Quarters, Southern Command, and returned at an early date. The possession of the lands has been handed over to the Military on 1-6-1942

	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Mahajenahalli	5,870	0	0
2. Seerapura	157	8	0
3. Belludi	129	0	0
4. Hanagavadi	8,067	0	0
5. Shamshipur	2,107	0	0
Total	16,230	8	0

"Copy"

W.89-42-343

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

No...W.24..Revs. *** Genl.& Revenue Sectt.

Bangalore, 5th July 1943.

From

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Revenue Commissioner & Civil Representative in Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

Award Bill - Lands taken up - "A" M.T. Training Groups in Harihar and Devangere Taluks.

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With reference to your letter No.C.L.O.490/42-43 dated the 28th June 1943 on the above subject, I am directed to return herewith the award bills received with your above letter for transmission to the Headquarters, for acceptance and to state that the rate of Rs.20/- per acre per annum has already been approved by Government. The award bills relating to Davangere Taluk were not received with your above letter as stated.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.